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CLAIM TO PRIORITY

Sir:

Applicant hereby claims priority under the

International Convention and all rights to which they are
entitled under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following

Japanese Priority Application:

11-285941, filed October 6, 1999

A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED mailed January 3, 2001, enclosed please find an executed Declaration/Power of Attorney form, together with the surcharge fee of \$130.00.

Also enclosed is a copy of the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED.



The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

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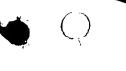
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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